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SUBJECT: PRESS REACTION TO SOUTH AFRICAN ATTITUDE TOWARD NUCLEAR
PROLIFERATION

1. ACCORDING TO A SEPTEMBER 1 ARTICLE IN THE "ESTADO DE S. PAULO"
FOREGIN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN LAMPREIA VOICED BRAZIL'S "GREAT APPRE-
HENSION" OVER SOUTH AFRICA'S RESERVATION OF THE RIGHT TO USE NUCLEAR
MATERIAL FOR NON-PEACEFUL ENDS. HE CITED TWO BASIC PRINCIPLES OF
BRAZILIAN NUCLEAR POLICY: (1) BRAZIL CONDEMNS THE PROLIFERATION
OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS; AND (2) BELIEVES THE ONLY GUARANTEE AGAINST
NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION IS AN ATMOSPHERE OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION
WHICH SHARES THE BENEFITS OF NUCLEAR ENERGY AMONG ALL NATIONS.

2. LAMPREIA REPORTEDLY ADDED THAT THE BRAZILIAN NUCLEAR PROGRAM
IS THE RESULT OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND HAS PEACEFUL AIMS.
THE ARTICLE ENDS WITH THIS QUOTATION: "THE RISKS OF PROLIFERATION,
IN OUR VIEW, PRINCIPALLY DERIVES FROM NUCLEAR DEVELOPMENT WITHOUT
THE PROTECTION OF ADEQUATE INTERNATIONAL SAFEGUARDS. BRAZIL
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HAS ALREADY STATED, ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION, THAT ONLY
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION WHICH SHARES THE BENEFITS OF NUCLEAR
ENERGY WITH ALL PEOPLE, CAN GUARANTEE HUMANITY AGAINST THE
PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS."

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